

## REMARKS

The specification was amended in order to correct the priority information, in particular the filing date of the international application. No new matter has been added by the above amendment.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

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Respectfully submitted,

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## VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

### In the specification:

On page 1, after the title, the specification has been amended as follows:

### Cross Reference To Related Applications

This application is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 09/456,461, filed December 8, 1999.

This application also claims priority from French application serial no. 99/11563, filed September 16, 1999, and international application serial no. PCT/FR00/02439, filed on [September 9, 2000] September 5, 2000.